



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Mail Stop: PETITIONS BRANCH**
Shinobu NAKAYA et al. : **Confirmation No. 2798**
Serial No. 10/812,026 : **Docket No. 2004_0386A**
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SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE DEVICE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: